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BLADE CUTTING ASSEMBLY FOR  
SHEET MATERIAL

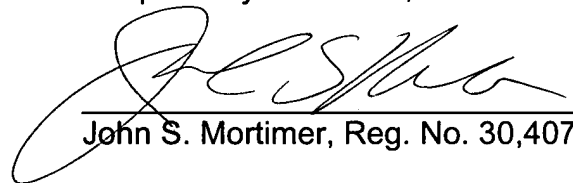
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Sir:

Applicant wishes to call the Examiner's attention to the art listed on the attached form PTO-1449. A copy of each reference is attached.

In the section "Other Prior Art", applicant has listed a product which was sold commercially prior to the filing of the present application. Applicant is providing a copy of the back of the packaging material that has been used for the subject product. This material was on the packaging for an actual product purchased in the June/July 2003 time frame, after the date of invention claimed herein. Applicant has done some investigation with respect to a possible earlier date of sale, but has been unsuccessful.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	5,069,097	12/91	Mori			
	AB	5,287,783	2/94	Mori			
	AC	5,671,647	9/97	Mori			
	AD	5,802,942	9/98	Cornell et al			
	AE	Des. 415,519	10/99	Mori			
	AF	6,035,755	3/00	Mori			
	AG	6,079,307	6/00	Mori			
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**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

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**OTHER PRIOR ART** *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

	AQ		"Accucut A200 Dial-A-Blade" (copy of packaging)					
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